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November Milk Production up 3.8 Percent in New York

Albany, New York – Milk production in New York during November 2014 totaled 1.11 billion pounds, up 3.8 percent from November 2013, according to Blair Smith, State Statistician of the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service, New York Field Office.

Production per cow averaged 1,805 pounds in November, 55 pounds more than November 2013.

The number of milk cows on farms in the State was 615 thousand head, 4,000 head more than November 2013, and unchanged from October 2014

The preliminary milk price received by New York farmers in November, at \$24.50 per hundredweight, was down \$1.40 from October but up \$1.60 from November a year ago.

The Milk Production report and all other NASS reports are available online at www.nass.usda.gov.

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